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DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

Federal Emergency Management Agency

44 CFR Part 65

Docket ID FEMA-2012-0003

Changes in Flood Elevation Determinations

AGENCY: Federal Emergency Management Agency, DHS.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: Modified Base (1% annual-chance) Flood Elevations (BFEs) are finalized for the communities listed below. These modified BFEs will be used to calculate flood insurance premium rates for new buildings and their contents.

DATES: The effective dates for these modified BFEs are indicated on the following table and revise the Flood Insurance Rate Maps (FIRMs) in effect for the listed communities prior to this date.

ADDRESSES: The modified BFEs for each community are available for inspection at the office of the Chief Executive Officer of each community. The respective addresses are listed in the table below.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) makes the final determinations listed below of the modified BFEs for each community listed. These modified BFEs have been published in newspapers of local circulation and ninety (90) days have elapsed since that publication. The Deputy Associate Administrator for Mitigation has resolved any appeals resulting from this notification.

The modified BFEs are not listed for each community in this notice. However, this final rule includes the address of the Chief Executive Officer of the community where the modified BFE determinations are available for inspection.

The modified BFEs are made pursuant to section 206 of the Flood Disaster Protection Act of 1973, 42 U.S.C. 4105, and are in accordance with the National Flood Insurance Act of 1968, 42 U.S.C. 4001 et seq., and with 44 CFR part 65.

For rating purposes, the currently effective community number is shown and must be used for all new policies and renewals.

The modified BFEs are the basis for the floodplain management measures that the community is required either to adopt or to show evidence of being already in effect in order to qualify or to remain qualified for participation in the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP).

These modified BFEs, together with the floodplain management criteria required by 44 CFR 60.3, are the minimum that are required. They should not be construed to mean that the community must change any existing ordinances that are more stringent in their floodplain management requirements. The community may at any time enact stricter

requirements of its own or pursuant to policies established by other Federal, State, or regional entities.

These modified BFEs are used to meet the floodplain management requirements of the NFIP and also are used to calculate the appropriate flood insurance premium rates for new buildings built after these elevations are made final, and for the contents in those buildings. The changes in BFEs are in accordance with 44 CFR 65.4.

National Environmental Policy Act. This final rule is categorically excluded from the requirements of 44 CFR part 10, Environmental Consideration. An environmental impact assessment has not been prepared.

<u>Regulatory Flexibility Act.</u> As flood elevation determinations are not within the scope of the Regulatory Flexibility Act, 5 U.S.C. 601-612, a regulatory flexibility analysis is not required.

Regulatory Classification. This final rule is not a significant regulatory action under the criteria of section 3(f) of Executive Order 12866 of September 30, 1993, Regulatory Planning and Review, 58 FR 51735.

Executive Order 13132, Federalism. This final rule involves no policies that have federalism implications under Executive Order 13132, Federalism.

Executive Order 12988, Civil Justice Reform. This final rule meets the applicable standards of Executive Order 12988.

List of Subjects in 44 CFR Part 65

Flood insurance, Floodplains, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements.

Accordingly, 44 CFR part 65 is amended to read as follows:

PART 65—[AMENDED]

1. The authority citation for part 65 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 42 U.S.C. 4001 <u>et seq.</u>; Reorganization Plan No. 3 of 1978, 3 CFR, 1978 Comp., p. 329; E.O. 12127, 44 FR 19367, 3 CFR, 1979 Comp., p.376.

§ 65.4 [Amended]

2. The tables published under the authority of § 65.4 are amended as follows:

State and county	Location and case No.	Date and name of newspaper where notice was published	Chief executive officer of community	Effective date of modification	Community No.
Alabama: Mobile (FEMA Docket No.: B-1225)	Unincorporated areas of Mobile County (11-04-0759P)	August 2, 2011 August 9, 2011 <u>The Press-Register</u>	The Honorable Connie Hudson President, Mobile County Commission 205 Government Street Mobile, AL 36644	December 7, 2011	015008
Alabama: Mobile (FEMA Docket No.: B-1225)	Unincorporated areas of Mobile County (11-04-0760P)	August 2, 2011 August 9, 2011 <u>The Press-Register</u>	The Honorable Connie Hudson President, Mobile County Commission 205 Government Street Mobile, AL 36644	December 7, 2011	015008
Alabama: Mobile (FEMA Docket No.: B-1225)	Unincorporated areas of Mobile County (11-04-0761P)	August 11, 2011 August 18, 2011 <u>The Press-Register</u>	The Honorable Connie Hudson President, Mobile County Commission 205 Government Street Mobile, AL 36644	December 16, 2011	015008
Alabama: Mobile (FEMA Docket No.: B-1225)	Unincorporated areas of Mobile County (11-04-0762P)	August 4, 2011 August 11, 2011 <u>The Press-Register</u>	The Honorable Connie Hudson President, Mobile County Commission 205 Government Street Mobile, AL 36644	December 5, 2011	015008
Arizona: Cochise (FEMA Docket No.: B-1240)	City of Sierra Vista (11-09-2096P)	October 28, 2011 November 4, 2011 <i>The Sierra Vista Herald</i>	The Honorable Rick Mueller Mayor, City of Sierra Vista 1011 North Coronado Drive Sierra Vista, AZ 85635	October 20, 2011	040017
Arizona: Coconino (FEMA Docket No.: B-1231)	City of Flagstaff (11-09-2204P)	June 3, 2011 June 10, 2011 <i>The Arizona Daily Sun</i>	The Honorable Sara Presler Mayor, City of Flagstaff 211 West Aspen Avenue Flagstaff, AZ 86001	May 27, 2011	040020
Arizona: Pima (FEMA Docket No.: B-1231)	City of Tucson (11-09-1158P)	August 5, 2011 August 12, 2011 <u>The Arizona Daily Star</u>	The Honorable Bob Walkup Mayor, City of Tucson 255 West Alameda Street Tucson, AZ 85701	August 29, 2011	040076
Arizona: Pima (FEMA Docket No.: B-1231)	Unincorporated areas of Pima County (12-09-0017P)	May 31, 2011 June 7, 2011 The Daily Territorial	The Honorable Ramon Valadez Chairman, Pima County Board of Supervisors 130 West Congress Street, 11th Floor Tucson, AZ 85701	October 6, 2011	040073

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Arkansas: Benton (FEMA Docket No.: B-1228)	City of Bella Vista (11-06-1141P)	September 7, 2011 September 14, 2011 <i>The Bella Vista Weekly Vista</i>	The Honorable Frank E. Anderson Mayor, City of Bella Vista 406 Town Center Northeast Bella Vista, AR 72714	January 12, 2012	050511
California: Butte (FEMA Docket No.: B-1235)	Unincorporated areas of Butte County (11-09-3448P)	October 7, 2011 October 14, 2011 <u>The Chico Enterprise-Record</u>	The Honorable Steve Lambert Chairman, Butte County Board of Supervisors 3159 Nelson Avenue Oroville, CA 95965	February 13, 2012	060017
California: Napa (FEMA Docket No.: B-1235)	City of Napa (11-09-3313P)	October 14, 2011 October 21, 2011 <i>The Napa Valley Register</i>	The Honorable Jill Techel Mayor, City of Napa 955 School Street Napa, CA 94559	February 20, 2012	060207
California: Napa (FEMA Docket No.: B-1235)	Unincorporated areas of Napa County (11-09-3313P)	October 14, 2011 October 21, 2011 <u>The Napa Valley Register</u>	The Honorable Bill Dodd Chairman, Napa County Board of Supervisors 1195 3rd Street, Suite 310 Napa, CA 94559	February 20, 2012	060205
California: San Mateo (FEMA Docket No.: B-1235)	City of San Carlos (11-09-1259P)	October 7, 2011 October 14, 2011 <i>The San Mateo Daily Journal</i>	The Honorable Andy Klein Mayor, City of San Carlos 600 Elm Street San Carlos, CA 94070	February 13, 2012	060327
California: Solano (FEMA Docket No.: B-1235)	City of Fairfield (11-09-1570P)	October 20, 2011 October 27, 2011 <i>The Daily Republic</i>	The Honorable Harry T. Price Mayor, City of Fairfield 1000 Webster Street Fairfield, CA 94533	February 24, 2012	060370
Colorado: Adams & Arapahoe (FEMA Docket No.: B-1235)	City of Aurora (11-08-0699P)	October 6, 2011 October 13, 2011 <i>The Aurora Sentinel</i>	The Honorable Ed Tauer Mayor, City of Aurora 15151 East Alameda Parkway Aurora, CO 80012	February 10, 2012	080002

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Delaware: Kent (FEMA Docket No.: B-1237)	Town of Camden (10-03-0303P)	February 18, 2011 February 25, 2011 <i>The Delaware State News</i>	The Honorable Richard E. Maly Mayor, Town of Camden 1783 Friends Way Camden, DE 19934	June 27, 2011	100003
Delaware: Kent (FEMA Docket No.: B-1237)	Unincorporated areas of Kent County (10-03-0303P)	February 18, 2011 February 25, 2011 <i>The Delaware State News</i>	The Honorable P. Brooks Banta President, Kent County Levy Court Administrative Complex 555 South Bay Road, Room 243 Dover, DE 19901	June 27, 2011	100001
Florida: Seminole (FEMA Docket No.: B-1235)	City of Altamonte Springs (11-04-7292P)	October 27, 2011 November 3, 2011 <i>The Orlando Sentinel</i>	The Honorable Patricia Bates Mayor, City of Altamonte Springs 225 Newburyport Avenue Altamonte Springs, FL 32701	October 20, 2011	120290
Florida: Seminole (FEMA Docket No.: B-1235)	Unincorporated areas of Seminole County (11-04-7523P)	October 27, 2011 November 3, 2011 <i>The Orlando Sentinel</i>	The Honorable Brenda Carey Chair, Seminole County Board of Commissioners 1101 East 1st Street Sanford, FL 32771	October 20, 2011	120289
Florida: Seminole (FEMA Docket No.: B-1240)	Unincorporated areas of Seminole County (11-04-8756X)	November 4, 2011 November 11, 2011 <i>The Orlando Sentinel</i>	The Honorable Brenda Carey Chair, Seminole County Board of Commissioners 1101 East 1st Street Sanford, FL 32771	October 26, 2011	120289
Florida: St. Johns (FEMA Docket No.: B-1235)	Unincorporated areas of St. Johns County (11-04-4627P)	October 5, 2011 October 12, 2011 The St. Augustine Record	The Honorable Joseph Bryan Chairman, St. Johns County Board of Commissioners 500 San Sebastian View St. Augustine, FL 32084	February 9, 2012	125147
Georgia: Cherokee (FEMA Docket No.: B-1240)	Unincorporated areas of Cherokee County (10-04-8275P)	October 7, 2011 October 14, 2011 <i>The Cherokee Tribune</i>	The Honorable L. B. Ahrens, Jr. Chairman, Cherokee County Board of Commissioners 1130 Bluffs Parkway Canton, GA 30114	February 13, 2012	130424

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Georgia: Columbia (FEMA Docket No.: B-1235)	Unincorporated areas of Columbia County (11-04-5127P)	November 2, 2011 November 9, 2011 <u>The Columbia County News-</u> <u>Times</u>	The Honorable Ron C. Ross Chairman, Columbia County Board of Commissioners 630 Ronald Reagan Drive, Building B, 2nd Floor Evans, GA 30809	October 27, 2011	130059
Nevada: Clark (FEMA Docket No.: B-1235)	City of Henderson (11-09-3801P)	October 6, 2011 October 13, 2011 <u>The Las Vegas Review-</u> <u>Journal</u>	The Honorable Andy A. Hafen Mayor, City of Henderson 240 Water Street Henderson, NV 89015	February 10, 2012	320005
Nevada: Clark (FEMA Docket No.: B-1235)	Unincorporated areas of Clark County (11-09-3801P)	October 6, 2011 October 13, 2011 <u>The Las Vegas Review-</u> <u>Journal</u>	The Honorable Susan Brager Chair, Clark County Board of Commissioners 500 South Grand Central Parkway Las Vegas, NV 89155	February 10, 2012	320003
Oklahoma: Oklahoma (FEMA Docket No.: B-1228)	City of Oklahoma City (10-06-1424P)	September 13, 2011 September 20, 2011 <i>The Journal Record</i>	The Honorable Mick Cornett Mayor, City of Oklahoma City 200 North Walker Avenue, 3rd Floor Oklahoma City, OK 73102	January 18, 2012	405378
Puerto Rico: Puerto Rico (FEMA Docket No.: B-1237	Commonwealth of Puerto Rico (10-02-1752P)	October 13, 2011 October 20, 2011 El Nuevo Dia	The Honorable Ruben Flores-Marzan Chairperson, Puerto Rico Planning Board Roberto Sanchez Vilella Governmental Center, North Building, 16th Floor De Diego Avenue International Baldorioty de Castro Avenue San Juan, PR 00940	October 6, 2011	720000
Texas: Bell (FEMA Docket No.: B-1234)	City of Temple (10-06-3631P)	September 27, 2011 October 4, 2011 <u>The Temple Daily Telegram</u>	The Honorable William A. Jones III Mayor, City of Temple 2 North Main Street Temple, TX 76501	February 1, 2012	480034
Texas: Bexar (FEMA Docket No.: B-1234)	City of San Antonio (11-06-1853P)	October 6, 2011 October 13, 2011 <i>The San Antonio Express-</i> <i>News</i>	The Honorable Julian Castro Mayor, City of San Antonio 100 Military Plaza San Antonio, TX 78205	February 10, 2012	480045

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Texas: Bexar (FEMA Docket No.: B-1237)	City of San Antonio (11-06-0604P)	November 4, 2011 November 11, 2011 <u>The San Antonio Express-</u> <u>News</u>	The Honorable Julian Castro Mayor, City of San Antonio 100 Military Plaza San Antonio, TX 78205	March 12, 2012	480045
Texas: Bexar (FEMA Docket No.: B-1237)	Unincorporated areas of Bexar County (11-06-3419P)	November 16, 2011 November 23, 2011 <i>The Daily Commercial</i> <u>Recorder</u>	The Honorable Nelson W. Wolff Bexar County Judge 101 West Nueva Street, 10th Floor San Antonio, TX 78205	March 22, 2012	480035
Texas: Collin (FEMA Docket No.: B-1234)	City of McKinney (11-06-0938P)	October 5, 2011 October 12, 2011 <u>The McKinney Courier-</u> <u>Gazette</u>	The Honorable Brian Loughmiller Mayor, City of McKinney 222 North Tennessee Street McKinney, TX 75069	February 9, 2012	480135
Texas: Collin (FEMA Docket No.: B-1234)	City of Richardson (11-06-2276P)	October 4, 2011 October 11, 2011 <u>The Dallas Morning News</u>	The Honorable Bob Townsend Mayor, City of Richardson 411 West Arapaho Road Richardson, TX 75080	February 8, 2012	480184
Texas: Denton (FEMA Docket No.: B-1237)	Town of Flower Mound (11-06-2301P)	October 25, 2011 November 1, 2011 <i>The Denton Record-Chronicle</i>	The Honorable Melissa D. Northern Mayor, Town of Flower Mound 2121 Cross Timbers Road Flower Mound, TX 75028	February 29, 2012	480777
Texas: Denton (FEMA Docket No.: B-1237)	Unincorporated areas of Denton County (11-06-1910P)	October 28, 2011 November 4, 2011 <i>The Denton Record-Chronicle</i>	The Honorable Mary Horn Denton County Judge 110 West Hickory Street, 2nd Floor Denton, TX 76201	October 21, 2011	480774
Texas: Johnson and Tarrant (FEMA Docket No.: B-1234)	City of Burleson (11-06-2791P)	October 12, 2011 October 19, 2011 <i>The Burleson Star</i>	The Honorable Ken Shetter Mayor, City of Burleson 141 West Renfro Street Burleson, TX 76028	February 16, 2012	485459
Texas: Medina (FEMA Docket No.: B-1234)	City of Castroville (11-06-0606P)	October 6, 2011 October 13, 2011 <i>The Castroville News Bulletin</i>	The Honorable Robert Lee Mayor, City of Castroville 1209 Fiorella Street Castroville, TX 78009	October 28, 2011	480932

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Texas: Montgomery (FEMA Docket No.: B-1237)	Unincorporated areas of Montgomery County (11-06-3114P)	October 26, 2011 November 2, 2011 <i>The Conroe Courier</i>	The Honorable Alan Sadler Montgomery County Judge 501 North Thompson Street, Suite 401 Conroe, TX 77301	October 19, 2011	480483
Texas: Tarrant (FEMA Docket No.: B-1234)	City of Arlington (10-06-3532P)	September 2, 2011 September 9, 2011 <u>The Fort Worth Star-</u> <u>Telegram</u>	The Honorable Dr. Robert N. Cluck Mayor, City of Arlington 101 West Abram Street Arlington, TX 76010	January 9, 2012	485454
Texas: Tarrant (FEMA Docket No.: B-1237)	City of Crowley (11-06-1037P)	November 3, 2011 November 10, 2011 <i>The Crowley Star</i>	The Honorable Billy P. Davis Mayor, City of Crowley 201 East Main Street Crowley, TX 76036	March 9, 2012	480591
Texas: Tarrant (FEMA Docket No.: B-1234)	City of Dalworthington Gardens (10-06-3532P)	September 2, 2011 September 9, 2011 <u>The Fort Worth Star-</u> <u>Telegram</u>	The Honorable Michael R. Tedder Mayor, City of Dalworthington Gardens 2600 Roosevelt Drive Dalworthington Gardens, TX 76016	January 9, 2012	481013
Texas: Tarrant (FEMA Docket No.: B-1234)	City of Fort Worth (11-06-2791P)	October 12, 2011 October 19, 2011 <i>The Fort Worth Star-</i> <i>Telegram</i>	The Honorable Betsy Price Mayor, City of Fort Worth 1000 Throckmorton Street Fort Worth, TX 76102	February 16, 2012	480596
Texas: Tarrant (FEMA Docket No.: B-1237)	City of Fort Worth (11-06-2373P)	November 1, 2011 November 8, 2011 <i>The Fort Worth Star-</i> <i>Telegram</i>	The Honorable Betsy Price Mayor, City of Fort Worth 1000 Throckmorton Street Fort Worth, TX 76102	March 7, 2012	480596
Texas: Tarrant (FEMA Docket No.: B-1234)	City of White Settlement (11-06-1375P)	September 28, 2011 October 5, 2011 <i>The Grizzly Detail Newspaper</i>	The Honorable Jerry R. Burns Mayor, City of White Settlement 214 Meadow Park Drive White Settlement, TX 76108	September 21, 2011	480617
Texas: Victoria (FEMA Docket No.: B-1237)	City of Victoria (11-06-1656P)	November 3, 2011 November 10, 2011 <i>The Victoria Advocate</i>	The Honorable Will Armstrong Mayor, City of Victoria 105 West Juan Linn Street Victoria, TX 77901	March 9, 2012	480638

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Utah: Box Elder (FEMA Docket No.: B-1235)	City of Willard (11-08-0207P)	September 28, 2011 October 5, 2011 <u>The Box Elder News Journal</u>	The Honorable Ken Braegger Mayor, City of Willard 80 West 50 South Willard, UT 84340	February 2, 2012	490011
Virginia: Fauquier (FEMA Docket No.: B-1234)	Unincorporated areas of Fauquier County (11-03-0275P)	July 27, 2011 August 3, 2011 The Fauquier Times- Democrat	The Honorable Raymond E. Graham Chairman, Fauquier County Board of Supervisors 10 Hotel Street, Suite 208 Warrenton, VA 20186	December 1, 2011	510055
Virginia: Henrico (FEMA Docket No.: B-1237)	Unincorporated areas of Henrico County (10-03-0514P)	December 14, 2010 December 21, 2010 The Richmond Times- Dispatch	Mr. Virgil R. Hazelett Henrico County Manager 4301 East Parham Road Henrico, VA 23228	April 20, 2011	510077
Virginia: Prince William (FEMA Docket No.: B-1234)	Unincorporated areas of Prince William County (11-03-0494P)	September 14, 2011 September 21, 2011 The News & Messenger	The Honorable Corey A. Stewart Chairman at Large, Prince William County Board of Supervisors 1 County Complex Court Prince William, VA 22192	January 19, 2012	510119
Wyoming: Campbell (FEMA Docket No.: B-1235)	City of Gillette (11-08-0780P)	October 18, 2011 October 25, 2011 <u>The News-Record</u>	The Honorable Tom Murphy Mayor, City of Gillette 201 East 5th Street Gillette, WY 82717	February 22, 2012	560007
Wyoming: Campbell (FEMA Docket No.: B-1240)	City of Gillette (11-08-0781P)	October 21, 2011 October 28, 2011 <u>The News-Record</u>	The Honorable Tom Murphy Mayor, City of Gillette 201 East 5th Street Gillette, WY 82717	February 27, 2012	560007
Wyoming: Campbell (FEMA Docket No.: B-1235)	Unincorporated areas of Campbell County (11-08-0780P)	October 18, 2011 October 25, 2011 <u>The News-Record</u>	The Honorable Stephen F. Hughes Chairman, Campbell County Board of Commissioners 500 South Gillette Avenue, Suite 1100 Gillette, WY 82717	February 22, 2012	560081

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Wyoming: Campbell (FEMA Docket No.: B-1240)	Unincorporated areas of Campbell County (11-08-0781P)	October 21, 2011 October 28, 2011 <u>The News-Record</u>	The Honorable Stephen F. Hughes Chairman, Campbell County Board of Directors 500 South Gillette Avenue, Suite #1100 Gillette, WY 82716	February 27, 2012	560081

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